

$$\text{HET}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{C}^*(\text{R}^3)(\text{R}^4)-\text{N}(\text{X}^4)-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{R}^6-\text{N}(\text{R}^7)(\text{R}^8)$$

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a prodrug thereof or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of said secretagogue or
10 said prodrug.